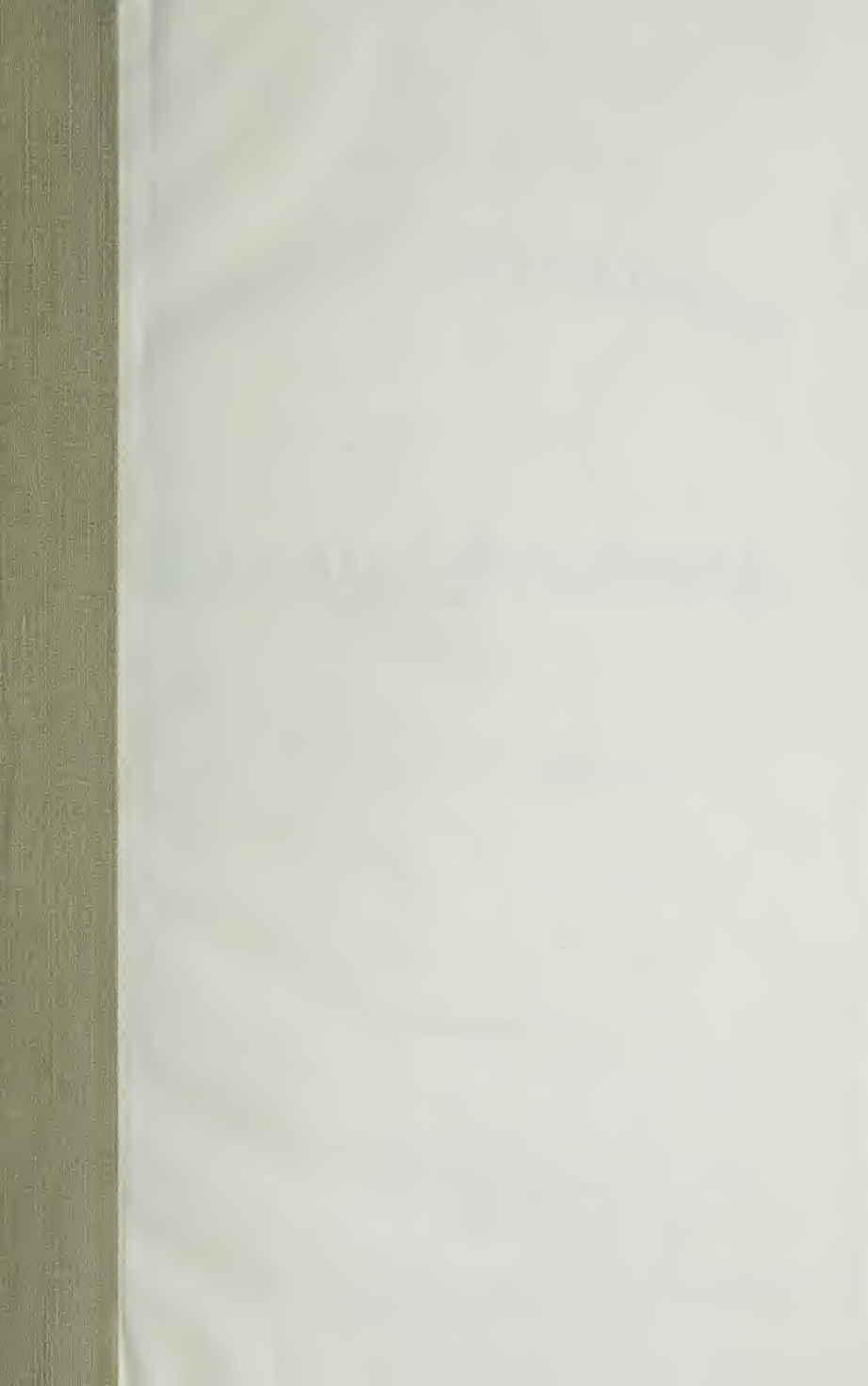


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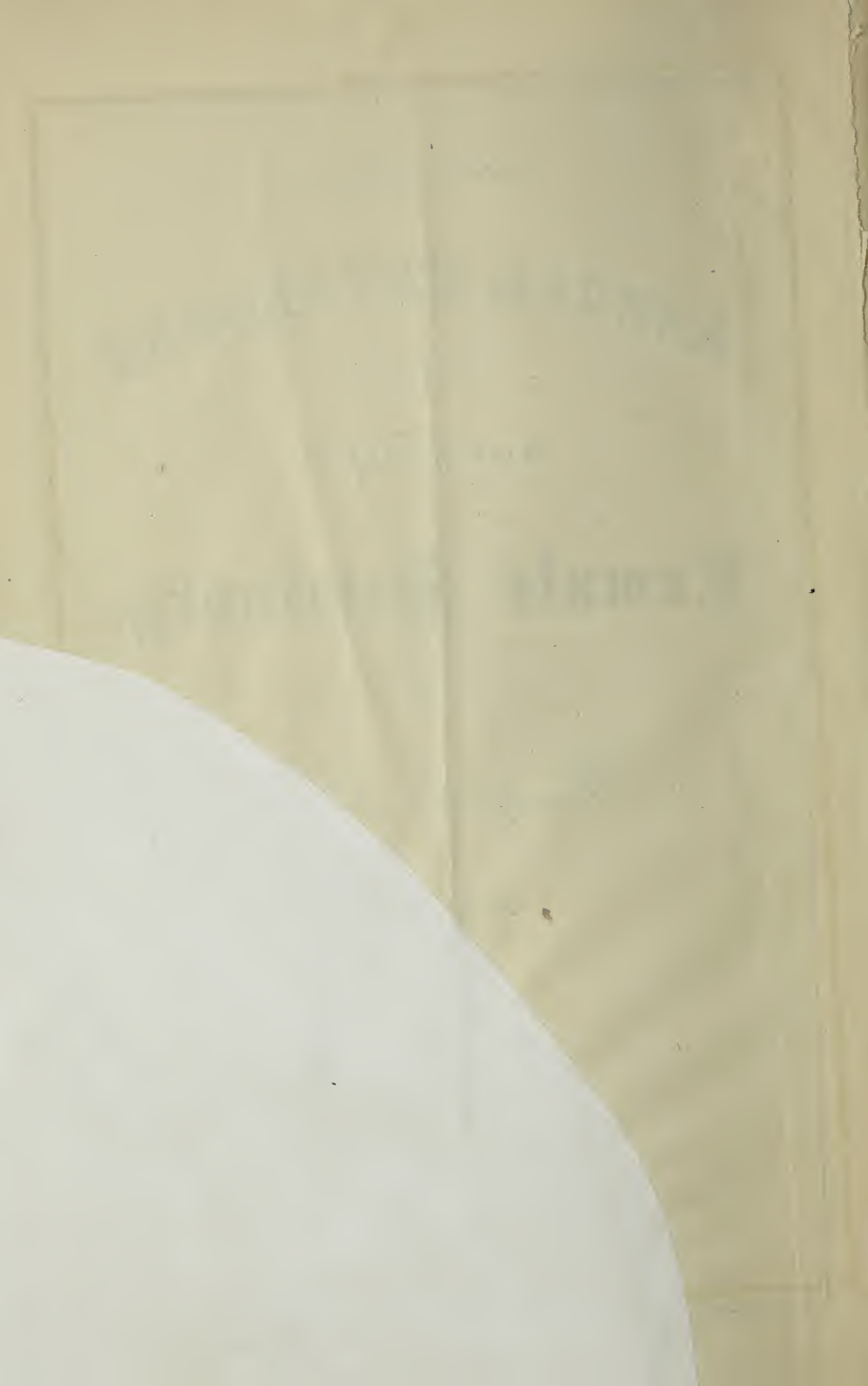
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Senior Class.

NAMES.	RESIDENCES.
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Emma Faris-----	Mt. Pleasant, Iowa.
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Nettie C. Foote-----	Waukesha, Wis.
Anna M. Keen-----	Fulton, Wis.
Katie L. Smith-----	Beloit, Wis.

Senior Middle Class.

S. Carmelite Brewer-----	Amboy.
Lizzie Durkee-----	Shelbyville.
A. Louise Frisbie-----	Mendon.
Melissa E. Hovey-----	Rockford.
Clara F. Leach-----	Rockford.
Mary W. Marston-----	Fort Atkinson, Wis.
Mary J. Morrison-----	Fort Atkinson, Wis.
Annie M. Porter-----	Garnavillo, Iowa.
Susan W. Rice-----	Belvidere.
Emma Stannard-----	Loda.
Emily L. Woodbridge-----	Belvidere.
Mary P. Wright-----	Neponset.
Ida A. Youngs-----	Stillman Valley.

NAMES.

RESIDENCES.

Junior Middle Class.

SECTION A.

Permelia Anthony	-----	Sterling.
Phebe H. Carmichael	-----	Rockford.
A. Elizabeth Fitch	-----	Rockford.
S. Eleanor Huntington	-----	Olympia, Wash. Ter.
Caroline A. Murray	-----	Evanston.
Annie F. Penfield	-----	Rockford.
Belle L. Rose	-----	Rockford.
Hattie E. Waterman	-----	Belvidere.

SECTION B.

S. Alice Addams	-----	Cedarville.
Lillie Glasner	-----	Belvidere.
M. Gertrude Herbert	-----	Belvidere.
Alice M. Hollister	-----	Belvidere.
Ada F. Hurd	-----	Rockford.
Florence L. May	-----	Belvidere.
Ellen G. Rice	-----	Belvidere.
Lucy J. Stockwell	-----	El Paso.

Junior Class.

SECTION A.

Maria F. Eckley	-----	San Francisco, Cal.
S. Anna Dean	-----	Monona, Iowa.
E. Florence Harkness	-----	Milwaukee, Wis.
Lucy A. Harris	-----	Henry.
Mary F. Hervey	-----	Creston.
S. Louie Hinkley	-----	La Crosse, Wis.
Clara N. Ives	-----	Amboy.
S. Jennie Lyons	-----	Hardin, Iowa.
Mary P. Morgan	-----	East Troy, Wis.

NAMES.	RESIDENCES.
May L. Parker-----	Boscobel, Wis.
Alice Z. Wright-----	Chicago.

SECTION B.

Adele C. Brown-----	Chicago.
Maria L. Gardiner-----	Southampton.
Julia A. Garrison-----	Waukegan.
Alice Huntington-----	Chicago.
Catharine C. Wheaton-----	Poplar Grove.
Haidee Williamson-----	Des Moines, Iowa.
Emma F. Woodruff-----	Rockford.
Alice G. Wyman-----	Wabasha, Minn.

NORMAL DEPARTMENT.

Senior Class.

NAMES.	RESIDENCES.
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Fannie G. Huggins-----	Abingdon.
Sarah E. Lawson-----	Beloit, Wis.
Julia D. VanSteenberg-----	Tremont.

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Junior Class.

Anna L. Allan -----	Geneseo.
Frances A. Bloom -----	Monroe, Wis.
Ellen M. Brown -----	Monroe, Wis.
Florence C. Chandler -----	Red Wing, Minn.
Jennie E. Chandler -----	Monroe.
Janet R. Cutter -----	Alden.
Helen J. Daniels -----	Jackson, Mich.
Mary E. Grimes -----	Freeport.
Lucelia R. Helm -----	Alden.
Nannie A. Hosford -----	Clinton, Iowa.
Ella N. Hume -----	Geneseo.
Alora J. Lahman -----	Franklin Grove.
S. Ella Lyons -----	Hardin, Iowa.
S. Alice Moore -----	Kilbuck.
Addie S. Murch -----	Belvidere.
Clara S. Vaile -----	Rochelle.
Rosa H. Warren -----	Chicago.
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NAMES.	RESIDENCES.
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Elizabeth Bainbridge-----	Benton, Wis.
Mary J. Bainbridge-----	Benton, Wis.
Adelaide M. Bell-----	Minonk.
Lizzie R. Bellows-----	Vermillion, Dacotah Ter.
Nellie Bennett-----	Chicago.
Annie M. Bell-----	Cedarville.
Carrie G. Brown-----	Rockford.
Ida M. Brown-----	Rockford.
Sarah E. Brownell-----	Cherry Valley.
Alice C. Brown-----	Rockford.
Urania V. Bryan-----	Sycamore.
Alice F. Carleton-----	St. Claire, Mich.
Mary E. Burchard-----	Rockford.
Ellen Clark-----	Albion, Wis.
C. Lillian Clark-----	Ottawa.
M. Evelyn Cooley-----	English Prairie.
Fannie M. Colley-----	Greenwood.
Alice Conger-----	South Haven, Mich.
Emma C. Daniels-----	Redwing, Minn.
Mary L. Daniels-----	Redwing, Minn.
Loretta B. Dean-----	Belvidere.
Marian L. Dennis-----	Rockford.
Catharine C. Deppen-----	Cedarville.
Alice A. Early-----	Rockford.
Ella H. Easter-----	Chicago.
Lida Easter-----	Chicago.
Florence Edson-----	Rockford.
Emma Eychaner-----	Monroe Centre.
Alice M. Felch-----	Rockford.
Mattie Flanders-----	McGregor, Iowa.
Emma E. Ferguson-----	Rockford.

NAMES.	RESIDENCES.
Lizzie C. Galloway-----	Chicago.
Ida Gillson-----	Aurora.
Mary E. Goldie-----	Chicago.
Anna Gorseline -----	Belvidere.
Alice M. Grant-----	Sycamore.
Mary E. Harris-----	Grand Rapids, Mich.
Anna Haskins-----	Davenport, Iowa.
Isabel Haskins-----	Amboy.
Emma R. Hemig-----	Freeport.
Frances R. Higley-----	St. Claire, Mich.
Nettie G. Hood-----	Rockford.
Carrie F. Hood-----	Rockford.
Carrie D. Horn -----	Rockford.
Eva L. Horton -----	Cherry Valley.
Janet Hoyle -----	Rockford.
Carrie Hyde-----	Rockford.
Sarah A. Karchner -----	Ridott.
Eva A. Kettlewell-----	Rockford.
Mary B. Kinsey-----	Geneseo.
Mary L. Lee-----	Elgin.
Letitia B. Lee-----	Elgin.
Mary McClellan-----	Monroe Centre.
Mary A. McCracken -----	Monroe, Wis.
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Alma Merrifield-----	Winnebago.
Belle Moulton-----	Belvidere.
Josephine Moore -----	Put-in-Bay, Ohio.
Mary Newell-----	Council Bluffs, Iowa.
Flora R. Newhall-----	Milwaukee, Wis.
Ida M. Nichols -----	New Milford.
Ada C. Norton-----	Stillman Valley.
Lizzie Paine-----	Chicago.
Lucy B. Perry -----	Hinsdale.
Kittie Riddle-----	Beloit, Wis.
Persis Robertson-----	Lake Zurich.
Nellie M. Rose-----	Rockford.
Marcia A. Rolfe-----	Fremont.
Mary A. Ryan-----	Byron.
Emma L. Sanborn-----	Beloit, Wis.

NAMES.	RESIDENCES.
Stella L. Seccomb-----	Rockford.
Louise L. Skinner-----	Marengo.
Ida M. Sheldon-----	Chicago.
Lizzie C. Spier-----	LaCrosse, Wis.
Mary L. Taggart-----	Rockford.
Permelia Tate-----	Mattoon.
Emma W. Taylor-----	Stillman Valley.
Ella E. Todd-----	Elgin.
Elizabeth L. Watson-----	Milford.
Olive P. Watson-----	Evanston.
S. Edna Wheeler-----	Bristol.
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Adelaide E. Winsor-----	Grand Rapids, Mich.
Frances E. Winsor-----	Grand Rapids, Mich.
Sarah C. Wirt-----	Chicago.
Emma Wolford-----	Rockford.
Carrie E. Woodburn-----	Byron.
Martha E. Young-----	Freeport.
Mary E. Youngs-----	Stillman Valley.

SUMMARY.

Senior Collegiate-----	6
Senior Middle Collegiate-----	13
Junior Middle Collegiate-----	16
Junior Collegiate-----	19
Senior Normal-----	8
Junior Normal-----	18
Preparatory Department-----	92
In Music, Painting, &c., only-----	49
Total-----	221

DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC.

First Class.

NAMES.	RESIDENCES.
C. Annie Gilbert.....	Faribault, Minn.
Lillie Glasner.....	Belvidere.
M. Gertrude Herbert.....	Belvidere.
Mary E. Holmes.....	Rockford.
Lillian Jacoby	Rockford.
M. Ella Jacoby.....	Rockford.
S. Anna Moore.....	Dunton.
May Louise Parker.....	Boscobel.
Ellen G. Rice	Belvidere.
Nettie E. Warner.....	Rockford.
Catharine C. Wheaton	Poplar Grove, Wis.
Georgia White.. ..	Rockford.

Second Class.

Ophelia N. Baker.....	Minonk.
Adelaide M. Bell.....	Minonk.
H. Mandana Bennett	Beloit, Wis.
Helen Blakeman.....	Rockford.
Marie K. Brown	Beloit, Wis.
Mary E. Burchard	Rockford.
Mary L. Daniels.....	Red Wing, Minn.
Emma C. Daniels.....	Red Wing, Minn.
Maria F. Eckley.....	San Francisco, Cal.
Hattie Enoch.....	Rockford.
Alice M. Felch	Rockford.
Elizabeth Fitch	Rockford.
Mary E. Goldie.....	Chicago.
Alice M. Grant.....	Sycamore.
Ida Hitchcock.....	Rockford.

NAMES.	RESIDENCES.
Ada Hobart.....	Rockford.
Ada F. Hurd.....	Rockford.
Clara N. Ives.....	Amboy.
Mary B. Kinsey.....	Geneseo.
Ella Manny.....	Rockford.
Lida Manny.....	Rockford.
Loie M. Martin....	Rockford.
Florence May.....	Belvidere.
Belle Merrill.....	Beloit, Wis.
Mary J. Morrison....	Fort Atkinson, Wis.
Caroline A. Murray.....	Evanston.
Lizzie Paine.....	Chicago.
Stella L. Seccomb.....	Rockford.
Jennie Smith.....	Rockford.
Ella Spafford.....	Rockford.
Lucy J. Stockwell.....	El Paso.
S. Edna Wheeler.....	Bristol.
Lois W. Whipple.....	Sheboygan Falls, Wis.
Mary P. Wright.....	Neponset.
Alice G. Wyman.....	Wabasha, Minn.
Ida A. Youngs.....	Stillman Valley.

Third Class.

Anna L. Allan.....	Geneseo.
Sarah F. Anderson.....	Geneseo.
Mary Beatty.....	Rockford.
Adele C. Brown.....	Chicago.
Urania V. Bryan.....	Sycamore.
Alice F. Carlton.....	St. Clair, Mich.
Emma Clark.....	Rockford.
M. Evelyn Cooley.....	English Prairie.
Julia Daugherty.....	Rockford.
S. Anna Dean.....	Monona, Iowa.
Alice A. Early.....	Rockford.
Ada Early.....	Rockford.
Amy Early.....	Rockford.
Ella H. Easter.....	Chicago.
Lida Easter.....	Chicago.

NAMES.	RESIDENCES.
Florence Edson	Rockford.
Mattie Flanders	McGregor, Iowa.
Mary Fox	Rockton.
Emma F. Godfrey	Rockford.
E. Florence Harkness	Milwaukee, Wis.
Anna Haskins	Davenport, Iowa.
Isabel Haskins	Amboy.
Mary F. Hervey	Creston.
Frances K. Higley	St. Clair, Mich.
L. Louie Hinkley	La Crosse, Wis.
Carrie D. Horn	Rockford.
Eva L. Horton	Cherry Valley.
Ella N. Hume	Geneseo.
Alora J. Lahman	Franklin Grove.
Letitia B. Lee	Elgin.
S. Jennie Lyons	Hardin, Iowa.
Mary Mears	Pecatonica.
Addie S. Murch	Belvidere.
Mary Newell	Council Bluffs, Iowa.
Susan W. Rice	Belvidere.
Ellen Richardson	Broosa, Turkey.
Kittie Riddle	Beloit, Wis.
Ida M. Sheldon	Chicago.
Anna B. Spaulding	Rockford.
Lizzie C. Spier	La Crosse, Wis.
Emma Stannard	Loda.
Helen Stone	Rockford.
Mary L. Taggart	Rockford.
Fanny Talcott	Rockford.
Permelia Tate	Mattoon.
Mary H. Watkins	Bellevue, Iowa.
Carrie Woodburn	Byron.
Emma F. Woodruff	Rockford.

Fourth Class.

Anna Bagley	Rockford.
Elizabeth Bainbridge	Benton, Wis.
Mary J. Bainbridge	Benton, Wis.

NAMES.	RESIDENCES.
Helen J. Daniels-----	Jackson, Mich.
Hattie M. Foote-----	Rockford.
Lizzie C. Galloway-----	Chicago.
Julia A. Garrison-----	Waukegan.
Anna Gorseline-----	Belvidere.
Mary E. Grimes-----	Freeport.
Mary E. Harris-----	Grand Rapids, Mich.
Lucelia R. Helm-----	Alden.
Emma R. Hemig-----	Freeport.
Sarah A. Karchner-----	Ridott.
Mary McClellan-----	Monroe Center.
Mary A. McCracken-----	Monroe, Wis.
Josephine Moore-----	Put-in Bay, Ohio.
Ida M. Nichols-----	New Milford.
Persis Robertson-----	Lake Zurich.
Belle L. Rose-----	Rockford.
Ella E. Todd-----	Elgin.
Adelaide E. Winsor-----	Grand Rapids, Mich.
Frances E. Winsor-----	Grand Rapids, Mich.
TOTAL-----	127.

DEPARTMENT OF DRAWING AND PAINTING.

NAMES.	RESIDENCES.
S. Alice Addams	Cedarville.
Permelia Anthony.....	Sterling.
Alice Carleton.....	St. Clair, Mich.
Jennie E. Chandler	Monroe.
Florence Chandler.....	Red Wing, Minn.
Mary Dean.....	Rockford.
Mary E. Earle.....	Martin, Mich.
Alice A. Early	Rockford.
Lida Easter.....	Chicago.
Florence Edson.....	Rockford.
Alice M. Felch.....	Rockford.
M. Elizabeth Fitch.....	Rockford.
Abbie S. Goodrich.....	Bloomington, Minn.
Alice M. Hollister.....	Belvidere.
Amelia M. Hollister.....	Rockford.
Helen Hodges.....	La Grange, Ga.
Carrie F. Hood.....	Rockford.
Nannie A. Hosford.....	Clinton, Iowa.
S. Ella Lyons.....	Hardin, Iowa.
S. Anna Moore.....	Dunton.
Flora R. Newhall.....	Milwaukee, Wis.
Annie F. Penfield.....	Rockford.
Laura Penfield.....	Rockford.
Kittie Riddle.....	Beloit, Wis.
Ida M. Sheldon.....	Chicago.
Emma Williams.....	Council Bluffs, Iowa.
Adella Woodruff.....	Rockford.
Lenora M. Youngs.....	Stillman Valley.
TOTAL	28.

CALENDAR

For the Year 1870—71.

SCHOOL YEAR----- { From September 22, 1870,
to June 28, 1871.

WINTER HOLIDAYS BEGIN-----December 24, 1870.

WINTER HOLIDAYS END-----January 2, 1871.

SUMMER VACATION BEGINS-----June 21, 1871.

SUMMER VACATION ENDS-----September 20, 1871.

ANNIVERSARY, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 28, 1871.

ROCKFORD FEMALE SEMINARY.

THIS is an incorporated Institution, located at Rockford, in Northern Illinois. Its design originated with the founders of Beloit College, at the same Convention which established that Institution, and it is based upon similar principles. It is intended to meet the wants of the Northwest, as an Institution of the highest order, bearing the same relation to the education of Young Ladies as the College to the education of Young Men.

The Institution has a retired, healthful, and beautiful site, containing twelve acres, on the eastern bluffs of Rock River. The plan of the building is extensive, and when fully completed, will furnish accommodations for about two hundred boarders, besides day scholars.

Teachers of established reputation are employed, and no efforts will be spared to make the Institution worthy of patronage. In addition to thorough instruction in the Sciences, special attention is given to the Culture of the Heart, and also to Health, Habits, Manners, Calisthenics, Gymnastic Exercises, &c.

A DIPLOMA, bearing the usual official signatures, is awarded at the Anniversary to those who have completed the prescribed Course of Study.

Organization, Departments, &c.

THE regular classes of this Institution are the Junior, Junior Middle, Senior Middle, and Senior Collegiate, organized under the several Departments of Study, viz.: Mathematics, Natural Sciences, History, and English Literature, Ancient and Modern Languages, and Mental and Moral Philosophy. There is also an English Course, and a Course for Resident Graduates. Excellent advantages are offered for Music, Drawing and Painting, with particular reference to teaching.

Each Department of Instruction has its responsible head, and a sufficient number of Teachers is employed to attend to the wants of individuals, while the Principal aims, by a watchful oversight, to give unity and harmony to the whole system.

Terms of Admission for Boarders.

THE full name, age, attainments in study, with testimonials of moral character, should be given in the application. None are admitted for a less time than one year, except to fill vacancies made during the year, which always begins in September and ends in June. Applications may be made six months or one year in advance. Preference will be given to those prepared to enter the Collegiate Course.

Students may be admitted who have pursued, to some extent, the common English Branches, viz.: Geography, Mental and Written Arithmetic, Grammar, and History of the United States, and who are sixteen years of age.

Examinations.

CANDIDATES for admission to the Collegiate Course of Study, will be examined in the studies named above; and in addition, in Algebra through Simple Equations, Physical Geography, Analysis of the English Language, and Harkness' Latin Grammar and Reader; and for admission to the Normal Course, in the same branches, with the exception of Latin. Students may be admitted to the Collegiate Course without Latin, provided they can bear examination in advanced Collegiate Studies, as an equivalent, and commence Latin in the Junior year.

Candidates for admission to a higher standing must be examined in all of the preceding studies of the Course, to the class to which they desire admission.

The examinations will thoroughly test scholarship, and they will be confined to the first three weeks after the opening of the year, and candidates are advised, before coming, *to review* all of the branches they expect to be examined in previous to classification.

All are required to take the regular studies of the Course, without selection, as far as they advance.

The first few weeks in the Institution will be regarded as probationary, that no one deficient in the requisite qualifications may remain, either to her own disadvantage or to the injury of others.

Preparatory Branches and Text Books.

READING, Orthography, Penmanship, Felter's Intellectual and Practical Arithmetic, Guyot's Political and Physical Geography, Kerl's English Grammar and Analysis, Anderson's History of the United States, Robinson's Elementary Algebra, Harkness' Latin Grammar and Reader.

Course of Instruction.

COLLEGIATE COURSE—JUNIOR YEAR.

FIRST SERIES.	{	Latin -----	Caesar.
		Rhetoric -----	Quackenbos.
		Physiology -----	Dalton
		History of England -----	Student's Hume.
SECOND SERIES.	{	Latin -----	Caesar and Virgil.
		Ancient Geography -----	Mitchell.
		History of Greece -----	Smith.
		History of Rome -----	Liddell.

JUNIOR MIDDLE YEAR.

FIRST SERIES.	{	Latin -----	Virgil.
		Latin Prose Composition -----	Harkness.
		Algebra, (U. Ed.) -----	Robinson.
		Rhetoric -----	Quackenbos.

SECOND SERIES.	{	Latin -----	Cicero.
		Latin Prose Composition-----	Harkness.
		Natural Philosophy-----	Wells.
		Geometry and Trigonometry----	Davies' Legendre.

SENIOR MIDDLE YEAR.

FIRST SERIES.	{	French or German-----	
		Chemistry -----	Rolfe and Gillet.
		Astronomy -----	Rolfe and Gillet.
		History of France -----	Student's France.

SECOND SERIES.	{	French or German-----	
		Civil Government-----	Townsend.
		Natural History-----	Tenney.
		Botany-----	Wood.

SENIOR YEAR.

FIRST SERIES.	{	French or German-----	
		Mental Philosophy-----	Haven.
		Moral Philosophy-----	Haven.
		English Literature-----	Spaulding.

SECOND SERIES.	{	French or German-----	
		Evidences of Christianity-----	Hopkins.
		Geology-----	Dana.
		Analogy-----	Butler.

COURSE FOR RESIDENT GRADUATES.

FIRST SERIES.	{	English Language-----	Fowler.
		Natural History-----	Ruschenberg.
		Conic Sections-----	Loomis.
		French, German or Greek-----	

SECOND SERIES.	{	Mental Philosophy-----	
		History of Civilization-----	Guizot.
		Astronomy, (Col. Ed.)-----	
		Church History-----	
		French or German-----	

Elocution, Penmanship, Composition, Rehearsals, Critical Reading of the Poets, and Biblical Studies, are continued through the Collegiate Course.

Normal Preparatory Studies.

READING, Orthography, Penmanship, Mental Arithmetic, Written Arithmetic, Guyot's Political and Physical Geography, History of the United States, Punctuation in Quackenbos' Rhetoric, and Elementary Algebra.

Normal English Course.

JUNIOR YEAR.

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| FIRST SERIES. | { | Review of Modern and Physical Geography, with reference to Teaching. |
| | { | Map Drawing. |
| | { | Review of Arithmetic. |
| SECOND SERIES. | { | Review of English Grammar and Analysis of the English Language. |
| | { | Review of History of United States. |
| | { | Constitution of United States and Illinois. |

SENIOR YEAR.

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| FIRST SERIES. | { | Algebra, (U. Ed.) |
| | { | Elements of Mental and Moral Philosophy. |
| | { | Anatomy and Physiology. |
| SECOND SERIES. | { | Anatomy and Physiology. |
| | { | Botany. |
| | { | Geometry. |

OPTIONAL COURSE.

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|----------------|---|-------------------------------|
| FIRST SERIES. | { | Chemistry. |
| | { | Astronomy. |
| | { | Geology. |
| SECOND SERIES. | { | Zoology, or Botany Continued. |
| | { | Natural Philosophy. |
| | { | Higher Mathematics. |

Special attention will be given throughout the Course to the Theory and Practice of Teaching, and the School Laws of Illinois, Wisconsin and Iowa. A thorough drill in Elocution and Penmanship will also be had, together with Compositions, Rehearsals, Critical Reading of the Poets and

Biblical Instruction. The text books in the branches pursued are the same as those in the Collegiate Course. Those completing this Course of Instruction, will receive a Certificate to that effect, having the signatures of the Officers of the Institution.

COMMERCIAL BOOK-KEEPING.

Instruction in Commercial Book-Keeping is also given to all who desire to prepare to keep accounts.

LECTURES.

Courses of Lectures are given annually in connection with different studies. For the present year, the lectures on Chemistry have been given by Dr. D. S. Clark, of Rockford; the lectures on Natural History by Prof. Sanborn Tenney, of Williams College; and lectures on the Fine Arts by Rev. Wm. S. Curtiss, D. D., and Rev. H. M. Goodwin, of Rockford. Lessons in Elocution have been given by Prof. Edward M. Booth, of Chicago.

Department of Music.

THIS Institution furnishes superior advantages for a thorough Musical Education. This Department is under the charge of Professor DANIEL N. HOOD, an experienced teacher, whose continued success evinces his eminent qualifications for the position. Special attention is given to such as are desirous of preparing themselves to become Teachers, the necessary qualifications being well trained hands, a knowledge of the formation of the hand, and the correct method of developing the fingers; and such theoretical knowledge as shall enable a pupil to dissect properly the study of the piece used, that she may thoroughly understand the work to be accomplished. The absence of either of these requisites seriously impairs the capacity of a teacher.

That there is a lack of properly qualified teachers in the North-west, there can be no question. The design of the Musical Course is to prepare those desiring to teach in such a manner that they may be able to labor intelligently, and, consequently, efficiently.

The Course of Instruction will include Organ, Piano, and Guitar, the Cultivation of the Voice, Thorough Bass, and Musical Composition.

It is the aim of the Institution, in making permanent such a Department, to aid in forming a pure and elevated taste in regard to music, to give it its

true place in the formation of the character, which can only be done by thorough instruction in its principles and practice. Music thus becomes a mental discipline, and is not only a source of pleasure, but a means of refinement and elevation.

All are advised to cultivate their vocal powers, though they may never become good singers. Such cultivation is conducive to health, by giving strength to the lungs, expansion to the chest, and flexibility to the voice in speaking and reading aloud. To attain this, such exercises should be had, as develop, strengthen, and equalize the voice in its varied tones.

In the course of study will be used—

FOR THE PIANO.

Mason and Hoadley's Instruction Book.

Velocity Studies, by Czerny and Kohler.

Studies by Moschelles.

Studies by Cramer.

Studies by Chopin.

With a judicious use of such pieces as are calculated to ELEVATE THE TASTE, and to cultivate a GOOD STYLE in playing.

FOR THE ORGAN.

Rink's and Schneider's Schools.

FOR THE VOICE.

Bassini's Method, and Concone's Exercises.

MUSICAL THEORY, THOROUGH BASS, AND COMPOSITION.

Knorr's Guide.

Marx's Theory of Music.

Weber's Theory of Music.

This Department is furnished with Steinway & Sons', and other celebrated Pianos, and one of Mason & Hamlin's largest Organ-Harmoniums, with two Manuals, twelve stops, and Pedal Bass, giving every requisite for acquiring the touch and use of the Organ for Church Service.

Pupils can become members of this Department only, but all such will be home pupils, or will board in private families, and will furnish their own Instruments for practice, away from the Institution. All Boarders belonging to this Department are required to pursue the regular Course of Studies, and will be provided with only the usual time of practice, viz.: three divisions of time daily.

In accordance with the design of this Department, those desiring to teach, and who are found fully qualified, will receive a certificate to that effect, signed by the Officers of the Institution.

Department of Drawing and Painting.

GXCELLENT advantages are also offered in this Institution for Drawing, and Landscape Painting in Oil Colors, and designing or sketching from Nature. This Department is under the care of GEORGE J. ROBERTSON, an artist of known reputation. Few, perhaps, realize the benefit of this Art in cultivating the habit of observation, in refining the taste, and increasing the love for the beautiful in Nature.

Special attention will be given to those preparing to teach, and pupils may enter this department as in Music, without pursuing the Collegiate or Normal Studies, and will be subject to the same regulations.

BOOKS AND STATIONERY.

As Books and Stationery can be had at this Institution at low terms, young ladies need not purchase them before coming, but are requested to bring with them such of the text books of the regular course of study as they may have in possession; also a Bible, a Sabbath Hymn and Tune Book, an English Dictionary, a modern Atlas, and the English Poets, with other standard poetical works.

LIBRARY, CABINET AND APPARATUS.

This Institution has a library of about two thousand volumes of select reading and reference books, besides the Libraries of the Literary and Missionary Societies. It has also a Reading Room, supplied with some of the best Periodicals of the day, and Reference Books, which is accessible to students at all hours. Books may be drawn weekly from all of the Libraries. A charge of fifty cents per series is made for the use of Books and Periodicals.

The Institution has a valuable Cabinet of Mineralogy and Geology, including a donation from the State of Illinois. It has also fine Botanical and Zoological collections, and Paintings and Charts illustrating the various Departments of Natural Science.

Its Laboratory and Apparatus furnish superior facilities for the study of Chemistry and Natural Philosophy.

ACADEMIC YEAR.

The Academic Year begins on the fourth Thursday in September, and closes the last Wednesday in June. A vacation immediately follows, and includes the months of July, August and a part of September. A recess of about one week occurs at the usual Winter Holidays. During this time, those who desire may remain in the Institution and pursue their studies privately. Occasional Holidays will be given, and special days observed by the suspension of ordinary exercises, and by the observance of appropriate services.

Boarding Department.

ALL Pupils from abroad are required to board in the Seminary, unless special arrangements are made otherwise with the Officers of the Institution. This Department, in whatever relates to the improvement and division of time, to general instruction and to social intercourse, resembles the simplicity of a family circle, rather than the usual boarding school life. Each member shares in the domestic responsibilities of the household. The portion of time thus occupied is so small as not to retard progress in study, but on the contrary, the exercise has an invigorating influence, while it also aids in symmetrically developing character, by keeping the pupil in the home sphere, and preparing her for the practical duties of life.

Each pupil will furnish for her use a kerosene lamp and oil; also, towels, table napkins, a teaspoon and a tablefork; and for her bed, one pair of sheets, one pair of pillow-cases, one blanket, one comfortable and a bed-quilt, and will make arrangements for her washing. No carpets are provided, but room-mates may unite in carpeting their rooms. No one should leave home without a supply of plain and unexpensive clothing, especially flannel, and also woolen hose, a pair of India-rubber overshoes, a water-proof cloak, and an umbrella, are required. Every article of clothing and bedding should be marked with the full name. Young ladies are requested not to bring jewelry or expensive apparel. Parents and guardians are requested not to furnish their daughters or wards with unnecessary spending money. Each pupil will be required to present a weekly account of her expenditures.

Parents will direct as to church attendance, calls and correspondence, by a written communication at the commencement of the year, addressed to the Principal.

HEALTH.

Special attention will be given to sanitary regulations, as it respects over-exertion in study, hours for rising and retiring, heating and ventilation of rooms, healthful food, and physical exercise in good air. Parents and friends

are requested not to send to pupils boxes of provisions, as these have been one of the most fruitful causes of sickness in the Institution. A regular course of light Gymnastics will be had. Good health is not only essential to success in study, but if sacrificed, no attainments made in school can be regarded as a compensation, and we believe that the health of pupils should not be sacrificed to any object whatever. Special arrangements are made for the care of the sick that their comfort may be secured.

PUNCTUALITY, CALLS, &c.

Punctuality at the commencement, and daily attendance during each session of the year, are indispensable to a high standard of scholarship. The loss of a single lesson, or even of one study hour, will be felt for many weeks.

If education is worth anything, it is worth what it will cost to make it thorough. It is therefore expected, that every pupil will be in her place at the appointed time, even at the expense of personal sacrifice and inconvenience. Immediate notice should be given of all failures of accepted applications, that the vacancies may be filled.

Pupils are not expected to visit home except on holidays and recreation days.

No young lady will receive calls from young gentlemen in town, unless introduced by teachers, parents or guardians. All persons calling on pupils will please send their names and requests to the Principal.

Visits to pupils should be made out of school hours, and we are compelled to say that we cannot offer accommodations in the building to those from abroad, both on account of want of room, and of the serious interruption of school duties.

All friends of education and of the Institution from a distance are invited to call at their convenience.

Any request on the part of parents and guardians should be addressed to the Principal, and not made through the pupil.

SABBATH.

This Institution is the result of benevolent efforts on the part of friends of Christian Education, both East and West, and it is expected to be decidedly religious in its character and influence. The due observance of the Sabbath is one of the most important means of religious culture, and the young ladies are not expected to make or receive calls on the Sabbath, or to spend a Sabbath away from the Institution in term time. Whatever advantages might be had away, the excitement of visiting friends will be likely to hinder, in a great measure, the proper observance of the Sabbath.

Expenses for Boarders.

BOARD and Tuition, not including fuel, is \$150 per School Year of forty weeks; \$75 to be paid on entrance, and \$75 on the first of January. To the daughters of Missionaries, of Deceased Clergymen, and of all Clergymen engaged in the active duties of their profession, the charge is only \$94 per year, with payments as above. Fuel will be provided by the Institution, and the charge will be made to the occupants of each room, according to the amount consumed.

No deduction is made for a short absence. In case of protracted absence by sickness, or in any case where the pupil is in school but a part of the year, the charge is made by the week, and is higher in proportion, viz.: \$4.50 per week, or at the rate of \$180 per year.

All extra bills for Music, Drawing, Painting, &c., are payable in advance.

TUITION BILLS FOR DAY SCHOLARS.

All bills for Day Scholars are required in advance, and no pupil will be regarded as a member of the Institution until her bills are settled. No one will be admitted to any Department of Tuition for a less time than one half year or twenty weeks, and no deduction will be made for absence except in case of protracted sickness.

TUITION FOR DAY SCHOLARS.

Preparatory Studies, one half year, ...	\$14 00
Normal English Course, one half year, ...	18 00
Collegiate Course, one half year, ...	18 00
Resident Graduates, one half year	18 00

EXTRAS.

Lessons on the Piano, one half year, ...	\$20 00
Lessons on the Organ Harmonium, one half year, ...	24 00
Private Lessons in Vocal Music, one half year, ...	24 00
Use of Instrument, one half year, ...	8 00
Lessons on the Guitar, one half year, ...	18 00
Drawing and Painting, (Water Colors) each one half year, ...	10 00
Painting in Oil Colors, one half year, ...	20 00
Crayon Drawing, twenty lessons, ...	5 00
French, German or Greek, each one half year, ...	10 00
Commercial Book-Keeping, one half year, ...	10 00

N. B.—That a large number may be accommodated with Piano Lessons, the class system will be continued by PROFESSOR HOOD, with pupils below a certain grade. All such will be charged at the rate of \$24 per half year; all other regular members of the school, his pupils, \$30 per half year. To those belonging to the Music Department only, the charge will be \$20 per quarter.

All communications should be addressed to the Principal,

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